

Listing of the Claims:

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A garment, comprising:

a vest portion, comprising a front portion and a back portion;

a first light emitting device disposed on said back portion;

a second light emitting device disposed on said back portion;

a detector interconnected with said first light emitting device and with said second light emitting device;

a first coil interconnected with a circuit comprising an impedance, wherein said circuit is interconnected with said detector;

wherein said first coil can be inductively coupled with a second coil disposed on a vehicle and interconnected with a turn signal switch such that closing said turn signal switch causes an impedance change in said circuit.

2. (original) The garment of claim 1, wherein said first light emitting device comprises a first light emitting diode, and wherein said first light emitting diode is capable of emitting a red color, and wherein second first light emitting device comprises a second light emitting diode, and wherein said second light emitting diode is capable of emitting a red color.

3. (original) The garment of claim 1, further comprising a third light emitting device

disposed on said back portion.

4. (original) The garment of claim 3, wherein said third light emitting device comprises a third light emitting diode, and wherein said third light emitting diode is capable of emitting a white color.

5. (original) The garment of claim 3, wherein said vehicle comprises a power source, further comprising:

a first power conduit interconnecting said power source and said first light emitting device;

a second power conduit interconnecting said power source and said second light emitting device;

a third power conduit interconnecting said power source and said third light emitting device.

6. (original) The garment of claim 3, further comprising:

a power source;

a first power conduit interconnecting said power source and said first light emitting device;

a second power conduit interconnecting said power source and said second light emitting device.

7. (original) The garment of claim 3, further comprising:

a first housing, wherein said first housing defines a first enclosure having a first open end, and wherein said first light emitting device is disposed in said first enclosure;

a first lens, wherein said first lens is disposed over said first open end, and wherein said

first lens comprises a red color;

a second housing, wherein said second housing defines a second enclosure having a second open end, and wherein said second light emitting device is disposed in said second enclosure;

a second lens, wherein said second lens is disposed over said second open end, and wherein said second lens comprises a red color;

a third housing, wherein said third housing defines a third enclosure having a third open end, and wherein said third light emitting device is disposed in said third enclosure;

a third lens, wherein said third lens is disposed over said third open end, and wherein said third lens is optically clear.

8. (original) The garment of claim 3, further comprising:

a fourth light emitting device disposed on said front portion;

a fifth light emitting device disposed on said back portion;

wherein said fourth light emitting device is capable of receiving said first signal;

wherein said fifth light emitting device is capable of receiving said second signal.

9. (original) The garment of claim 8, wherein said fourth light emitting device comprises a fourth light emitting diode, and wherein said fourth light emitting diode is capable of emitting an amber color, and wherein fifth light emitting device comprises a fifth light emitting diode, and wherein said fifth light emitting diode is capable of emitting an amber color.

10. (original) The garment of claim 9, further comprising:

a fourth housing, wherein said fourth housing defines a fourth enclosure having a fourth

open end, and wherein said fourth light emitting device is disposed in said fourth enclosure;

a fourth lens, wherein said fourth lens is disposed over said fourth open end, and wherein said fourth lens comprises an amber color;

a fifth housing, wherein said fifth housing defines a fifth enclosure having a fifth open end, and wherein said fifth light emitting device is disposed in said fifth enclosure;

a fifth lens, wherein said fifth lens is disposed over said fifth open end, and wherein said fifth lens comprises an amber color.

11. (currently amended) A method to operate a vehicle comprising one or more wheels and one or more turn signal switches, comprising the steps of:

providing a license plate;

operating said vehicle in a first direction;

supplying a garment comprising a vest portion which includes a front portion and a back portion, a first light emitting device disposed on said back portion, ~~and~~ a second light emitting device disposed on said back portion, and a third light emitting device disposed on said back portion, wherein said first light emitting device is capable of receiving a first signal provided by said vehicle, and wherein said second light emitting device is capable of receiving a second signal provided by said vehicle;

disposing said license plate adjacent said third light emitting device, such that said third light emitting device is capable of illuminating said license plate;

activating said one or more turn signal switches to indicate a turn in a second direction;

generating a first signal;

providing said first signal to said first light emitting device;

flashing said first light emitting device on and off.

12. (original) The method of claim 11, further comprising the steps of:

activating one of said one or more turn signal switches to indicate a turn in a third direction;

generating a second signal;

providing said second signal to said second light emitting device;

flashing said second light emitting device on and off.

13. (original) The method of claim 11, wherein said vehicle further comprises a brake mechanism, further comprising the steps of:

activating said brake mechanism;

generating a third second signal as long as said brake mechanism remains activated;

providing said third signal to said first light emitting device;

providing said third signal to said second light emitting device;

continuously illuminating said first light emitting device and said second light emitting device.

14. (original) The method of 11, wherein said vehicle further comprises an emergency flasher switch, further comprising the steps of:

activating said emergency flasher switch;

generating a fourth signal;

providing said fourth signal to said first light emitting device;

providing said fourth signal to said second light emitting device;

flashing said first light emitting device on and off; and

flashing said second light emitting device on and off.

15. (original) The method of claim 11, wherein said supplying step further includes supplying a garment which further includes two sleeves.

16. (original) The method of claim 15, wherein said supplying step further includes supplying a garment which further includes a collar.

17. (canceled)

18. (original) The method of claim 11, wherein said supplying step further comprises supplying a garment which further includes a fourth light emitting device disposed on said front portion and a fifth light emitting device disposed on said back portion, wherein said fourth light emitting device is capable of receiving said first signal and wherein said fifth light emitting device is capable of receiving said second signal;

providing said first signal to said first light emitting device and said fourth light emitting device;

flashing said first light emitting device and said fourth light emitting device on and off.

19. (original) The method of claim 18, further comprising the steps of:

providing said second signal to said second light emitting device and to said fifth light emitting device;

flashing said second light emitting device and said fifth light emitting device on and off.

20. (original) The method of claim 18, wherein said vehicle further comprises a brake mechanism, further comprising the steps of:

activating said brake mechanism;

generating a third signal as long as said brake mechanism remains activated;

providing said third signal to said first light emitting device and to said fourth light emitting device;

providing said third signal to said second light emitting device and to said fifth light emitting device;

continuously illuminating said first light emitting device, said second light emitting device, said fourth light emitting device and said fifth light emitting device.

21. (original) The method of claim 18, wherein said vehicle further comprises an emergency flasher mechanism, further comprising the steps of:

activating said emergency flasher mechanism;

generating an intermittent first signal and an intermittent second signal as long as said emergency flasher mechanism remains activated;

providing said intermittent first signal to said first light emitting device and to said fourth light emitting device;

providing said intermittent second signal to said second light emitting device and to said fifth light emitting device;

intermittently illuminating said first light emitting device, said second light emitting device, said fourth light emitting device, and said fifth light emitting device.